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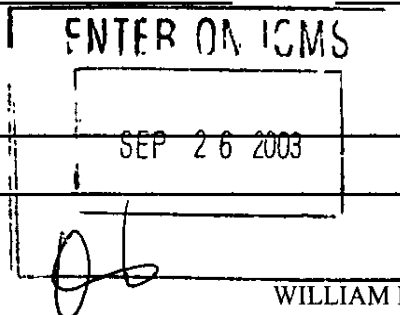
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

CRIMINAL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No. CR 03-753-MMM Date September 22, 2003

Present: The Honorable MARGARET M. MORROW

Interpreter: _____



ANEL HUERTA

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Court Reporter

WILLIAM BOTTGER

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U.S.A. v. Defendant(s):

Present Cust. Bond

Attorneys for Defendants:

Present App. Ret.

1. RAMON ANTOINE DE SAGE

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1. MICHAEL J. LIGHTFOOT

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Proceedings: PLEA & TRIAL SETTING

Defendant RAMON ANTOINE DE SAGE pleads NOT GUILTY to Counts One through Four of the Indictment.

Court accepts Defendant's plea of NOT GUILTY and sets a trial date of **October 7, 2003 at 8:30 a.m.**

Defendant requests that the trial date be set further out. Counsel are directed to meet and confer and submit a proposed stipulation and order regarding a new trial date and a date for a final status conference.

The Government is to turn over any discovery not later than September 29, 2003. If there are any problems regarding discovery, counsel are to file a joint report not later than October 3, 2003.

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